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## The Men's Cash Store

### Specials for This Week

4 Buckle Overshoes ..... \$4.50  
 2 Buckle Overshoes ..... 4.00  
 1 Buckle Overshoes ..... 2.75  
 Lined Mitts, a full line on hand at prices ranging from \$1.50 up to ..... \$5.00 per pair  
 We received a full line of Silk Ties for the Xmas trade Prices ..... \$1.25, \$1.30, \$1.75 up to \$3.00

#### FUR COATS

Now is the time to buy a Fur Coat and keep warm. Prices \$50.00 and \$65.00 for selected China Dog and Sitka Beaver Coats.

## C. J. BRAREN

## Cakes! Cakes! Cakes!

Why have the bother and fuss of baking when you can buy cakes and save both time and money? We have just now rich dark fruit cakes on hand made with this season's fruit, from \$1.00 each; these cakes weigh 2 lbs each full weight; other sizes from 30 cents per pound. Can you beat this when everything that goes to make a cake is high in price?

We have in stock our Gerwa Light Fruit Cakes, almond tops, at 40 cents per pound; whole cakes 4 lbs each \$1.50 —ALSO—

Sultana, Currant, and Lemon Rice Slabs, weighing from 3½ to 3¾ pounds each \$1.00, or 30 cents per pound.

All these goods are of first class quality.

## BARBER'S BAKERY

SHELVY STREET CLARESHOLM

## STRANGE & IRWIN

Licensed Auctioneers

Work Guaranteed. Terms Right

Farm Sales a  
Specialty

## Rex Theater

Saturday, December 13th  
 MONROE SALISBURY in "SUNDOWN TRAIL"  
 "IT'S A UNIVERSAL PICTURE"

Monday & Tuesday, Dec. 15 & 16  
 NORMA TALMADGE  
 —IN—  
 "The Probation Wife"

Produced by the "Select Pictures" Corporation

Wednes. and Thurs. Dec. 17 and 18  
 UNIVERSAL MIXED PROGRAM  
 Comedies, Dramas, Canadian Industries, Weekly News, etc. etc.

Friday and Saturday, Dec. 19 & 20  
 ROBERT ANDERSON in "COMMON PROPERTY"  
 "IT'S A UNIVERSAL PICTURE"

Monday & Tuesday, Dec. 22 & 23  
 "20,000 LEAGUES UNDER THE SEA"

Flashng scenes from ocean, earth and sky that surpass all dreams of fiction

### SEEK EXPERIENCES OF SETTLERS IN CANADA

Department of Immigration  
 Offers Prizes for the Best  
 Accounts of Successful Ones

In order that the department of immigration and colonization may have at its command authentic accounts of the experiences of successful settlers in various parts of Canada it has decided to offer cash prizes for letters or articles not exceeding two thousand words written by settlers in each of the nine Canadian provinces. The articles will be judged by a committee to be appointed by Hon. J. A. Calder, minister of immigration and colonization, and should be mailed not later than February 14th, 1920, to the director of publicity for the department. Three cash prizes will be given, one of seventy-five dollars, one of fifty dollars, and one of twenty-five dollars, in each of the nine provinces.

It is explained that the competition is not a literary contest, the official announcement stating that "Literary style, correct spelling, etc., will not be considered essential. Tell your own story in your own words. It is believed that the procuring of a number of graphic and truthful stories of how success has been won from the soil in all parts of the Dominion will do much to contribute to a future movement to Canada of the right class of settlers.

Full details of the competition are given on a poster hanging up in every post office throughout Canada.

### U. S. COAL MINERS' STRIKE IS ENDED

Indianapolis, Dec. 10.—The coal miners' strike is ended. With but one dissenting voice, the general committee of the United Mine Workers of America in session here this afternoon voted to accept President Wilson's proposal for immediate return to work pending final settlement of their wage case, agreeing with operators by a commission to be appointed by him. Telegrams were sent out tonight to the four thousand locals of the union by international officials of the mineworkers, instructing the men to return to work immediately.

The action today ends a tie-up of the coal industry of more than five weeks' duration and one which was more far-reaching in its effects than any in the history of the country. As a result of the strike, the country was fast approaching a complete shutdown of industries and widespread suffering among its 110,000,000 inhabitants.

The decision of the miners came after many hours of debate in which the radical element in the general committee made incendiary speeches against operators and others interested in settlement of the strike and for the third time threatened to defeat efforts to settle the strike at this time.

The conservative element, led by Acting President John L. Lewis, and Secretary-Treasurer Wm. Green, gained control of the situation this morning and succeeded in putting down practically all opposition by the time the question came to a vote.

### DOMINION LYCEUM ENTERTAINMENTS

The following entertainments have been arranged for presentation in Clareholm during the winter season:

Ida M. Tarbell, the world's most famous woman publicist, who will speak of her impressions of world leaders at the Peace Conference from personal observation. Date to be announced later.

The Old Fashioned Girls, in stories and songs of bygone days. Date to be announced later.

A small group of Clareholm men have agreed to guarantee the payments under the contracts, and admission to the series will be by season tickets available at the following prices: Adults \$2 for the series, students \$1.00 for the series, children 75c for the series.

The committee responsible for these entertainments, from each of whom tickets may be obtained,

are, R. E. Moffatt, Jas. McKinney, R. S. Law, H. E. Fairbairn, S. L. Fraser, J. O. Deikmeier, O. McConkey, W. D. Annable, G. H. Garvey.

It is only by giving a guarantee that entertainments of this high class can be secured. If the attendance is good it will be encouragement to the public spirited men who have formed the committee to bring the Lyceum entertainments here another season.

### MUNICIPAL ELECTION

A heavy vote was polled in the town election last Monday, all things considered.

For Mayor, Wm. Knight received 70 votes, Geo. Ringrose 66 and J. B. Boese 36.

For Councillors, C. J. Braren received 119, F. E. Torbet 107, E. L. Elgin 104, P. E. Hood 96, A. Hutton 94, and F. H. Schooley 52. The first three are elected for two years and Hood for the short term.

For School Trustees Jas. McKinney received 128, H. L. Tananmaker 124, Geo. Simpson 106, S. L. Fraser 67, R. K. Peck 66.

There were 44 spoiled ballots. Had these spoiled ballots been in proper form it would have made considerable difference to the result.

### THE MANGE PROBLEM

The mange problem has probably been one of the most serious in connection with the live stock industry in the southern Alberta. With the election of Dr. Tolmie as Dominion Minister of Agriculture, with his wide experience in veterinary and live stock matters, the stock men felt that every possible effort would be made to eradicate the mange nuisance as soon as possible.

The Minister of Agriculture has held two or three meetings during the summer and fall with the stock men in Calgary and the Veterinary General also attended meetings of stock men at several points in Alberta, which shows that no opportunity to go into the situation at first hand is being overlooked.

A wire has just been received from Dr. Tolmie by E. L. Richardson, secretary of the Alberta Live Stock Association and the Western Canada Live Stock Union, requesting him to call a meeting of all stock men interested in the mange question to confer with the Minister, who will be accompanied by the Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Dr. Griedale, and the Veterinary Director General, Dr. Torrance.

This meeting will be held in the Board of Trade rooms, Calgary, on Friday, December 19th, at 2-30 p.m. Dr. Tolmie wishes to go into the mange problem fully with those present, report progress already made since he took over his department, and complete plans for the eradication of mange. Stock men from all parts of the province and from western Saskatchewan who are interested are cordially invited to be present.

### WATCH THEM

Having had a thorough whipping on the field of death and gore, we may see the Germans skirting back to useful work and commerce. Having dumped the old ambitions, having scrapped the Wilhelm dream, they get down to new conditions and in trade they'd be supreme. While the other warring nations yawn around and paw the air, back to old-time occupations go the Germans everywhere. With a single earnest purpose they go back to forge and loom, while our foaming windmills chirp us songs of anarchy and doom. If we do not quit our yapping, making smoke and fur ascend, Germany, that got the whipping, will be the winner in the end. For she's heating up her boilers and she's speeding up her mills, and her heavy, bulky titlers go to work with royal will. While we rant around and clamor of our rights and of our wrongs, Germany takes up the hammer and sounds forth the work time gongs. Watch the Germans when germinating in their old, efficient way, while we are squeaking, squabbling, squirming for a big advance in pay.—Wait, Ma, son.

## Annable's Weekly Store News

## NOW FOR THE XMAS SHOPPING

This week we will be showing  
lots of nice things for Xmas Gifts

We have just received a new shipment of Fancy China. Also a lovely lot of Fancy Handkerchiefs. We will be pleased to have you come and let us help you decide about that Xmas Present. The store will be full of nice things.

### IN THE GROCERY

We have just received a car of Winter Apples. They are the finest the land produces. The price is lower than wholesale price today.

There is a car of B. C. Potatoes due this week.

Everything good to eat and drink.

Let us give you a price on that quantity order.

BUY HERE AND SAVE MONEY

## W. D. Annable, Departmental Store

## Suitable Xmas Gifts

New Silk Camisoles, white and colored.  
 New lot of Fancy  
 New lot of Fancy Handkerchiefs in boxes and envelopes.  
 New lot of Fancy Dollies and Runners.  
 Table Covers of Battenburg.  
 Fancy Ribbons of all descriptions.  
 Ladies' Fancy Ties. Ladies' Fancy Beads.  
 Ladies' Fancy Knit Scarfs an Tams to match.  
 Children's Toques.  
 Nice line of Men's Ties. Nice line of Men's shirts.  
 Nice line of Men's Scarfs.  
 Ladies' Slippers, all colors. Men's Slippers, all colors.  
 Xmas display of Toys in the Hardware Department.  
 Six only Ladies' Black Fur Collars.  
 Coats, old stock, \$25.00 reduced to \$12.00.

Full line of Xmas Groceries.

## J. M. SOBY

DEPARTMENTAL STORE CLARESHOLM

## How About That Xmas Present for Dad?

Perhaps he's been carrying a dilapidated old turp for nigh onto forty years. Wouldn't he be tickled with a 17 jewelled Regina in a nice bright gold filled case with his initials nicely engraved? The price is..... \$28.00

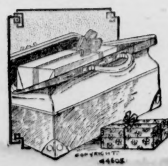
Or perhaps he would like a Waterman Fountain Pen. We have them gold mounted from..... \$3.50 to \$11.00  
 If we have Gillette Safety Razors at the same price.

Then these suggestions don't most your fancy try some of the following:

Diamond and Pearl Tie Pins (in nice gift cases)..... \$2.00 to \$17.00  
 Gold Cuff Links (in nice gift cases)..... 5.00 to 8.50  
 Signet Rings, all heavy weights..... 7.00 to 13.00  
 Gold Filled Chains..... 4.00 to 11.00  
 Tie Clips..... 50c to 2.50

## G. M. GODLEY

Jeweller Clareholm



## THE LAST THING

you took in your bag when you are going away for a vacation or the week-end should be a box of our delicious Confectionery. If you want to take a gift to some friend you'll be glad if you decide on a box of our pure Candy. It gives pleasure and real enjoyment to everybody.

## J. B. BOESE

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P. H. SCHOOLLEY, Editor

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1919

## The Best Christmas Present at Any Price

How can you make your money go further for Christmas cheer than with a year's subscription to The Youth's Companion? It brings so much into a household its stories for readers of all ages, its serious and informing contributions, its editorial pages, its intelligent and trustworthy comment on the great and tragic events of the time, its wit and humor. There is nothing quite like The Companion in all periodical literature.

If you subscribe at once you will get some of Capt. Theodore Roberts' Upriver Folk Stories which will be followed during the new year by his great serial of Canadian patriotism and valor "Sons of Liberty."

New subscribers for 1920 will receive:

1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues in 1920.  
2. All remaining weekly 1919 issues.

3. The Companion Home Calendar for 1920.

All the above only \$2.50 anywhere in North America.

The Youth's Companion,  
887 Commonwealth Ave.,  
Boston, Mass.

New subscriptions received at this office.

## A Family Treat

A real good treat for every member of one's family would be a year's subscription to the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal. It costs only \$1.25 and each subscriber receives a handsome souvenir portrait of the Prince of Wales, 16x22 inches. The portrait alone is well worth the money. The Family Herald and Weekly Star is a credit to Canada. It has over 100,000 subscribers, on 100,000 copies, and thousands more are being added each week. It is a wonderful combination of a newspaper, family magazine and agricultural journal, the best of its kind in America. It is well worth a trial for a year. Every member of your family would be benefited by the weekly visit of that great paper.

## Rest With Nature

The closer you follow the rules of Nature the more you will accomplish, and the longer you will live. Even Nature takes her rest during the winter months—why not you? Spend this winter at the Pacific coast, where you can enjoy summer pastimes, ride motor, golf, in the big outdoors.

The Canadian Pacific Railway operate three through trains daily to Vancouver including the fast all-sleeping car train "Trans-Canada Limited." See the mag-

nificent mountains in their winter garb; the open seas and green fields—all this and more await you at the Pacific coast.  
Call or write for full particulars to any agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

## A Western Favorite

It is said The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal reaches over ninety thousand homes in the four western provinces each week. There must be a reason for this. The reason is not hard to find. To farmers in this western country The Family Herald and Weekly Star is regarded as almost indispensable and each issue is worth to them more than the whole year's subscription price. It is a most wonderful production of a weekly newspaper, family magazine and agricultural journal. It costs only \$1.25 a year (after December 31st the price we understand will be \$1.50) and each subscriber receives free a large handsome portrait of the Prince of Wales, 16x22 inches. It is wonderful value and no home in the west should be without it.

## Registration of Nurses

The examination for registration of Nurses in the Province of Alberta will be held on December 11, 12 and 13, in Edmonton, at the University buildings, and in Calgary at the General Hospital. These will consist of written and practical examinations. Application must be made on or before December 10 to the Registrar of the University of Alberta, Edmonton. Nurses already registered in other provinces or states having like requirements with the Province of Alberta, may register on application and payment of fee without examination. These applications must also be made to the Registrar of the University.



## MAIL CONTRACT

SEALD TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster, will be received at this office until noon, on Friday, the 19th December 1919, for the transportation of mail by mail, on a proposed contract for four years, to be per week on the route between Clareholm and Fortman, from April 1st to March 31st, 1920.

Private notices containing further information, and "statutory forms of tender" may be obtained at the Post Office of Clareholm, Fortman and Lacombe, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office, Calgary, 15th November, 1919. D. A. G. R. Post Office Inspector

## DON'T LEAVE YOUR HORSES OUT IN THE COLD

## Economy Feed and Livery Barn

Now Open for Business.

We Have Light Rigs for Hire

## Gas Fitting, Heating, Repairing, Plumbing

BEN ANDREWS

Clareholm - Alberta

If you want a loan on your farm see Fraser & Peck.

## COME TO THE PACIFIC COAST

The Land of Moderate Climate  
Invigorating Health—Enjoyable.

HERE YOU CAN GOLF,  
OR MOTOR, OR RIDE  
TO YOUR HEART'S  
CONTENT

MAKE  
THE TRIP  
THIS  
SEASON



THE EMPRESS  
AT VICTORIA

THE VANCOUVER  
AT VANCOUVER

FOR PARTICULARS IN CONNECTION  
APPLY ANY AGENT

W. W. Ballantyne  
writes an advertisement

Neidpath Farm

Near Stratford, Ont.

Dear Sir:—

The Delco-Light Plant you sold me to light my farm has not only given us the pleasure and convenience of electric light in all our buildings, but it is rapidly paying for itself in the work it does.

It would be a good investment for us aside from the lighting altogether. So far, we have found 16 jobs for Delco on our farm, and we are constantly finding new jobs for it. We are using power from Delco-Light to run:—

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|-----------------------------|--|
| (1) 2-unit milking machine. | (10) Vacuum cleaner.                                   |
| (2) Cream separator.        | (11) Electric iron.                                    |
| (3) The pump in the dairy.  | (12) Toaster.  |
| (4) Rock pulper.            | (13) Charging batteries on our motor car.              |
| (5) Laundry stone.          | (14) Pumping water for house-hold use.                 |
| (6) Horse clippers.         | (15) Lighting our home, stable, outbuildings and yard. |
| (7) Sheep-shearing machine. | (16) Violet ray generator.                             |
| (8) Farming mill.           |  |
| (9) Washing machine.        |  |

We have never figured this work down to so many hours per day, but we do know that we can operate the farm with one less man than we used to. Figure out the wages and board of a farm hand and you can see what the Delco-Light plant saves us.

We used to run a gas engine on the milker and cream separator, at a cost of 10 cents a day. Our Delco-Light plant supplying light and power for the whole farm costs only 7 cents a day.

It would not only be a harder proposition to run our farm without Delco-Light, but it would cost us a lot more money. We have no hesitation in recommending any farmer to harness up his farm to Delco-Light.

Yours truly,

(Signed) W. W. Ballantyne

FRANK MURRAY & CO.,

Dealers,

Clareholm - Alta.

BRUCE L. ROBINSON,

Distributor, Calgary, Alta.

The Domestic Engineering Co., Dayton, Ohio  
Makers of Delco-Light Products

DELCO-LIGHT  
The Complete Electric Light and Power Plant for Farms

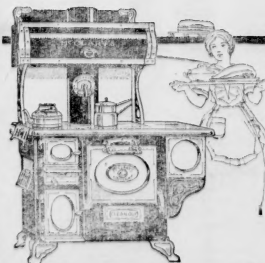
## THE CANADIAN NURSING HOME

806 Third Ave. West, Calgary  
Phone M4559.

Graduate nurses only. Home comforts. Accommodation for patients waiting. Terms moderate.

## The Youth's Companion Home Calendar for 1920

The publishers of The Youth's Companion will, as always at this season, present to every subscriber whose subscription is paid for 1920 a calendar for the new year. The tablets are printed in red and dark blue, and besides giving the days of the current month in bold legible type, give the calendar of the preceding and succeeding month in smaller type in the margin. It is a rich and practical piece of work.



## McClary's Kootenay

DO YOU realize how much time you can waste over a cranky range? Every busy woman should have a Kootenay to work with—grates easy to work, ashes easy to take out, oven quick to respond, doors fitting right, a well-made reliable range. Ask to see the Kootenay.

Sold by J. M. SOBY

McClary's

**Claresholm U.F.A. Co-Operative Asso'n Ltd.**

**FLOUR**--We have a car load of Ogilvie's "Royal Household" Flour now on hand. This is newly milled white flour.

**HAY**--Further shipments of eastern hay will arrive shortly. Carload prices, \$33 to \$35 per ton. Orders for December delivery must be placed at Once.

**WINTER APPLES**--We have a full assortment of the best kinds of winter apples, \$3.25 to \$3.50 per box. Prices are bound to advance owing to the recent damage to the crop by frost.

R. S. Law

Manager

## The Best Xmas Shopping is Done Now

while our stocks are complete and choosing of the best.—Gifts that are worth while and pleasing to all who receive such valued and appreciated tokens:

Mother of Pearl Manicure Sets

Rich and Beautiful Cut Glass

Oneida Community and Rogers Silverware

Royal Rochester Casseroles, Percolators and Serving Dishes

Pyrex Transparent Oven Dishes—heat proof glass

Aluminum Ware—a good variety of articles

Carving Sets, stag and pearl handled

Razors—Robeson's "Fit the Face," Gillette and Auto Strop, the self sharpening razor

The Twinplex Gillette Blade Sharpener is a most appreciated gift by a Gillette user

Pocket Knives—a full range; always appropriate

Skates, all kinds, sizes and prices

Flashlights—Daylo, that say in the dark "There it is"

### Fairbairn Bros.

(Successors to Wm. Ross)

Phone 71

CLARESHOLM

### You had better protect your family from the COAL SHORTAGE

by equipping your house with Storm Doors and Storm Windows. Will pay for themselves in one season's saving of fuel. Do not wait until cold weather, but place your orders now.

A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE

Where cheap lumber is good, and good lumber is cheap

### Crown Lumber Company Ltd.

O. D. WALKER, Manager

PHONE 11

BOX 114

### Claresholm Meat Market

Dealers in

ALL KINDS OF FRESH AND CURED MEATS.  
PACIFIC COAST FISH IN EVERY THURSDAY  
NOON. Phone orders promptly attended to.

We pay good prices for Hides, dry and salt; Sheep  
Pelts, etc.

D. A. ANDERSON

## Claresholm Local News

J. R. Watt spent two days at the Winter Fair at Calgary this week.

Ernie Moffatt returned on Thursday night from his trip to Flanagan.

Remember the Choral Society concert on Friday evening, December 19.

"The Heart of Humanity" is coming to the Rex two nights, December 26 and 27.

Miss McKinney arrived on Saturday last from Ottawa to spend the Christmas holidays with her brother.

Gypsy Smith, the renowned evangelist, spent practically the whole war period as a Y.M.C.A. worker at the front.

J. F. de Forest and wife have moved into town from Meadow Creek, and are occupying the house vacated by L. G. de Forest.

Mrs. Vandervoort will dispose of a fine lot of household furniture by public auction, at Granum, on Saturday afternoon, December 20th.

The Lethbridge Y. M. C. A. which held the debating championship of Alberta for three successive years has reorganized its debating club.

Claresholm stores are now all decked out for the Christmas trade. Their stocks include articles suitable for gifts for every member of the family.

A carnival had been advertised to take place at the skating rink on Thursday evening, but on account of the extremely cold weather it was postponed.

Fairbairn Bros. have bought out the hardware business of Wm. Ross, and are now doing business at the old stand. They are experienced hardware men and know the ins and out of the business thoroughly.

Owing to a delayed train the Russian Quartet which was to have appeared on Friday night at the Rex, failed to reach Claresholm. At the time of closing the forms on this issue of the paper efforts are being made to arrange another date.

"The Heart of Humanity" is one of the greatest productions ever filmed in the world. The Rex Theater should be packed to the doors regardless of any kind of weather. The prices are reasonable. Don't forget the dates, December 26 and 27.

Preparations are under way for the presentation at the Rex theater on Monday and Tuesday, December 22 and 23, of the new wonder motion picture "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea," which has been two years in the making and required the services of 2,000 actors. This picture is based on Jules Verne's story of that name, and embodies most of the thrilling adventures which befell his world renowned hero, Captain Nemo in the submarine Nautilus.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. de Forest left on Tuesday for Drumheller. Mr. de Forest is erecting a store here, and planning for big business.

C. B. McKinnon of Lethbridge, who has been organizer of the Town and Country Department of the Y. M. C. A. in Alberta, has accepted the secretaryship of the Nanaimo County Y. M. C. A.

John Nelson shipped 700 head of cattle from the stock yards this week. Some were sent to the Chicago market, but most of them went to other parts of Alberta where feed is more plentiful. Mr. Nelson is rounding up all his stock to ship out.

The County Y. M. C. A. is interested in the boys of the country and small towns not only because they are the coming men but because they are boys now. It believes in the boy, helping him to his best now, and that, this done, his future is safe.

When Beaver Hut, the Canadian hostel for soldiers in the Strand, London, was closed, a big reception was given by the officers to all the workers. Princess Alice who had been an indefatigable worker at the Hut was given a platinum bar brooch mounted with a maple leaf set in diamonds.

### Card of Thanks

We take this means of returning our heartfelt thanks to the many friends whose kindness and sympathy helped to lighten the burden in our time of sorrow.—J. M. Workman and family.

### BUSINESS LOCALS

Girl Wanted—Girl for general housework; two in family; wages \$25.00 per month. Apply at Review-Advertiser office.

Boards Wanted—Board and room by the day or week. Price reasonable.—Mrs. J. B. Butts, second house west of the printing office. e.o.w.

For Rent—Five roomed house with bath room and pantry. Gas, water and light. Apply to Mrs. Sarah A. Thomas, Claresholm. 42-4p

For Sale—Chevrolet five passenger car, four-ninety model, good condition, \$350. Account leaving town. For terms apply to Chas. Harrison, Claresholm, Alta. 41-3p

For Rent—Good sized rooming house for rent. 18 rooms; furnished with beds and bedding; gas stove in every room; cheap rent. Inquire at Claresholm. Also Bowling Alley for rent.—J. Smedstad.

To Trade—Good three-bottom John Deere plow, will trade for two-bottom 14 inch plow which is in good condition.—S. L. Fraser, Claresholm.



**CO EAST**  
IN ABSOLUTE COMFORT Via  
ON THE  
"TRANS-CANADA LIMITED"  
THE FAST ALL SLEEPING CAR TRAIN TO  
MONTREAL - TORONTO  
AND  
ALL EASTERN PORTS  
Quality Dining Car Service  
Comfortable Sleepers  
Compartment Library Observation Cars  
TWO OTHER TRAINS DAILY  
FOR PARTICULARS AND RESERVATIONS  
ASK THE AGENT  
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

## Banking Confidence in Alberta's Future

Thirty-three years ago we commenced business in Alberta, winning the distinction of being the first bank to establish in this Province. It was at once an expression of our confidence in the future of Alberta; a confidence that has been borne out by our rapidly-expanding system in an effort to extend the fullest possible measure of banking accommodation.

## UNION BANK OF CANADA

RESOURCES, OF \$150,000,000

Claresholm Branch

Barone Branch

A. F. Moore, Manager

S. D. Griffiths, Manager

## You have time, and we have time also,

during the winter months  
to plan that new home,  
or other buildings. Call  
in and talk it over.

## Beaver Lumber Co., Ltd.

IN YOUR TOWN AND ONE HUNDRED OTHERS

Mr. Wm. Knight, Local Manager at Claresholm

## A. E. RUNIONS AUCTIONEER

Sales conducted on short notice  
Farm sales a specialty

Office next door to White  
Lunch, Claresholm, Alta.

Phone R904 or apply to TOM BERNARD

## FRESH AND CURED MEATS

Fish and Poultry in  
Season. Free Delivery.  
Dependable, Court-  
eous Service.  
We Hold Our Customers by Our  
Service

Phone

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BRITISH COLUMBIA FRESH FISH 8c. to 12c. per lb.

We Buy Hogs at all times

## The Central Meat Market

RAMAGE &amp; TAYLOR, Proprietors

License No. 9 6567

Third Avenue

CLARESHOLM, ALTA

## Farm and Ranch Lands For Sale

A FEW EXTRA GOOD BARGAINS LISTED

Agents for the Following Insurance Companies:—

New York Mutual Life  
Century Fire Insurance Company  
Royal Exchange Insurance Company  
Wawanesa Fire Insurance Company

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM PROPERTY

## FRASER & PECK

NEAR POST OFFICE

CLARESHOLM

# Will Force Germany To Sign The Treaty

Glazgow.—Addressing a political demonstration here, Andrew Bonar Law, Privy Seal and government leader in the House, alluded to Germany's "apparent attempt" to evade ratification of the Peace Treaty, owing to the delay of the United States Senate in adopting it.

Mr. Bonar Law said that he spoke for the government, and he believed for the allies, in declaring that they had the power, and, if necessary, would exercise it to ensure ratification of the Peace Treaty.

Paris.—Frank L. Polk, head of the United States delegation to the peace conference, summoned Kurt von Lersner, chief of the German representatives at Versailles, on Monday, and told him that Germany should not interpret as being in her favor any delay that might be encountered in ratifying the Versailles treaty at Washington, according to newspapers here.

"If there can be in the United States several ways of understanding the treaty," Mr. Polk is quoted as telling Herr Lersner "there are not two ways of understanding the obligations incumbent upon Germany, nor the affection binding the United States and her allies."

## Prosecution of Ex-Kaiser

Sir Gordon Hewart Declares Preparations for Trial Continue

London.—Speaking at Pontypool, Wales, Sir Gordon Hewart, attorney-general, said the suggestion was true that there were any discussions or waverings with reference to the coming trial of the former Emperor of Germany.

The law officers, he added, were continuing most careful preparation for it. Fifty thousand written statements with reference to the matter of prosecuting criminals for their acts during the course of war had been examined. From this, the speaker said, the audience should appreciate the magnitude of the task and not be misled by the suggestion that the matter was not receiving the closest attention.

Animals Suffer from Severe Cold  
Havre, Montana. — A zero weather and a lack of feed due to the protracted drought last summer have caused the death by freezing and starvation of thousands of horses and cattle, according to ranchers.

Four weeks of stormy weather so far have caught many stockmen in a hopeless situation as far as caring for livestock is concerned. The weather has been so severe that the cattle for lack of feed in barns are reported freezing to death or the easy prey of wolves.

## 1,673 Smallpox Cases

Toronto.—According to the reports made to the board of health by the municipal authorities throughout the province, there were 1,673 cases of smallpox during the month of November. Most of these were in Toronto, the smallpox figures here being 1,356.

So far this year there have been seven deaths from the disease.

# Farmers May Profit By U. S. Market

Winning.—With the lifting of the import-export embargo on wheat, which will be in effect on December 15, Canadian farmers will have the right to expect that when they receive final payments for their wheat sold to the Canadian wheat board, there will be a substantial increase over the guaranteed price of \$2.15, basis Fort William.

During the past few days No. 1 dark northern wheat, which is practically on a par with Canada No. 1, has been selling at Minneapolis from \$3.20 to \$3.25, which is over one dollar more than our guaranteed price. If Canadian wheat is permitted by the Dominion Government to enter the United States by the railroads, it is to be expected that the high prices now prevailing for hard spring wheat will continue, but undoubtedly the Canadian wheat board will be in a position to realize a substantial profit on every bushel sold on the United States market.

Little information is being gathered from officials of the Canadian wheat board as to whether the government will attempt to take advantage of the high prices now prevailing at Minneapolis.

## Germany's Baltic States Effort Proving Futile

Are Now Being Attacked on Three Sides By Letts and Estonians

London.—Germany's adventure in the Baltic states may be considered ended militarily, according to the War Office summary of the week's events just issued.

"The situation of the Germans, who are being attacked on three sides by the Letts and Estonians, is critical," says the summary, "and it is hard to see how they can longer delay evacuation. Their retreat is virtually cut off, but it is assumed that they will be allowed to withdraw."

"Another threat of potential grave possibilities is Turkestan, where Bolshevik activities are reported to be increasing. The Tashkent government has sent a commissary to Merv (Russian Transcaspia), and it is assumed that Lenin (Bolshevik premier), has dispatched some German Orientalists from Moscow to spread Bolshevik propaganda. A number of these have gone to India, Persia and the East."

"There are now no hostile forces between the Bolsheviks and Afghanistan, where the Bolsheviks are spreading their propaganda assiduously."

In South Russia the Bolsheviks made little progress during the past week, and Gen. Denikin's troops reported several victories. A strong counter-offensive on the right has gained much ground and driven the Reds back to within thirty miles of the Caucasus.

"Southwest of Kiev volunteers also have taken the offensive and recaptured Fastoff and captured Pervostok. The Bolsheviks pressure has relaxed for the moment and their advance is becoming slower and less extensive. The Bolshevik advance in East Russia continues along the whole of the front. In North Russia, there is little change in the situation, due to the winter, but the Whites have cleared virtually the whole of the Pechora valley of the Bolsheviks."

## Hand Funds to St. Dunstan's

London.—William E. Johnston, the American anti-slavery organizer, for whom the Evening News opened a testimonial because of injuries received in a recent "ragging" by the students, has written to the paper asking that the money raised in the fund be given to St. Dunstan's hospital for the blind. Mr. Johnston, whose eye was removed a few days ago, is progressing satisfactorily and will leave the nursing home tomorrow.

## Queen Takes Indian Name

Braintree, Ont.—That Queen Mary has been pleased to accept the Indian name of Gah-Non-Rouh-Kwa from the women of the Six Nations Indians whose reserve is near Braintree, the information received here from Ottawa. The name given is the Indian name of Mrs. Helen Hill, president of the Six Nations Women's Patriotic League.

## Exchange of Prisoners

Copenhagen.—The negotiations between James O'Grady, representing the British Government, and Maximilian Litvinoff, Bolshevik ambassador at London, which have been going on regarding the repatriation of British prisoners in Soviet Russia, will be shortly completed, according to the National Tidende.

The conference, it is announced, has been favorable to accepting the exchange of prisoners.

## Electricity Cure for Sleeping Sickness

New York.—Application of electric needles to the spine cured a case of sleeping sickness in St. Mary's Hospital, Brooklyn. Miss Lena Ratz, 20 years of age, who has been in a sound slumber since last Friday morning, was brought back to consciousness by electric treatment.

## 25 London Firemen Overcome

London.—Twenty-five firemen were overcome by fumes in a big paper warehouse fire in South London. They were dragged unconscious from the building by comrades. The men were sent to a hospital in a serious condition.

## Fifty Million Dollars For Soldiers' Settlement

Large Sum Expended in Getting Veterans on the Land

Ottawa, Ont.—The Soldier Settlement Board has gone over the fifty-million mark in loans to returned soldiers to get them on the land. To date, 10,000 are contracted to November 15, and show a grand total of \$50,699,003. The number of loans approved is 14,375, total \$43,600,000.

Advances were made for the following purposes: Land purchase: Amount of purchase, \$28,125,250; improvements, \$4,528,325; stock and improvement of equipment, \$10,436,337; total, \$41,990,122.

On Dominion lands: Improvement, \$1,375,173; stock and equipment, \$3,826,707; total, \$5,201,880.

On land owned by settlers: Encumbrances, \$1,226,679; improvement, \$383,294; stock and equipment, \$1,443,189; total, \$3,053,162.

Grand total, \$50,699,003.

## Must Return to Farms

One Man on the Land Worth Twelve in Town

Beaverton.—One man on the land is worth a dozen in other jobs, so Mr. Kennedy, vice-president of the Manitoba Grain Growers, told the audience at the nomination meeting here, when Robert Henry Halbert, U.C.P., and Neil D. McKeen, Minnion, Unionist, Cunningham, were nominated to contest in the federal election December 9. The secretary of North Ontario, left vacant by the death of Col. Sam Sharpe, Mr. Kennedy told the audience that independent political action was the watchwords and the keynote.

"The light is in the window," the lunch stamp gang outside the hall, workers of Canada are welcomed therein. If Canada is to be saved, Canada must get more men on the land, he said. To get men on the land and to keep them there was the great task facing Canadians.

"The farmer alone has all the answers. For the past forty years he said they had never received any important legislation that tended to improve conditions for agriculture. He turned his guns on the tariff and said if the present method of taxation was not changed it might not be so very long before English-speaking people in Canada were in the minority. The annual tax on land and taxation on the farmer, \$800 a year, about \$20 a head and about seven times what it cost in the U.S. In Ireland, the farmer paid \$100 a year for federal purposes, and the working man \$100 a year, was his argument.

"I make the working man and the man who works in a retail twelve men in any other occupation," he added.

## Villa Captured By Own Men

Will Be Turned Over to Carranza on Payment of Reward

Juarez.—Francisco Villa, who has been captured by a force of his own men and is being held for a reward from the Mexican government, according to reports here, was captured by the National Caball, of the Chihuahua division of the National railways in Mexico.

Two Villa rebels are reported to have presented themselves at federal headquarters at Parral and notified the commander there that Villa had been captured and was being held for surrender to the Carranza forces. The state of Chihuahua has already offered \$50,000 as a reward.

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Delay of U. S. Said to Have Caused Change in People's Opinion

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It was learned that Kurt von Lersner, head of the German Delegation here, called on Secretary Datus, of the conference, and told him that Germany had made such a decision.

This attitude is taken as confirming the reports of a sharp reaction in Germany within the last fortnight. Trained observers of German developments have expected to members of the peace conference the view that there has been a complete transformation of the situation in Germany. Brought about, in their opinion, by the failure of the U.S. Senate to ratify the treaty.

These observations declare that while the vast majority of the Germans, before the senate's adjournment desired the peace treaty ratified as soon as possible, they are now supporting the government's attitude in resisting the demands of the allies for indemnity for the German fleet.

The question upon which German representatives here, however, appear most sensitive is the insistence upon the trial of the German officers accused of the commission of crimes in France and Belgium.

Thus far, it is stated, no indications have been shown of any change on the part of the Germans to modify their attitude.

## Will Dispense With Show

Simple Ceremony to Mark Inauguration of Farmer-Labor Regime

Toronto.—The pomp and display which age-old customs have fostered upon the ceremony that marks the opening of the Ontario legislature are to be done away with by the Ontario Farmers-Labor government.

At the next session of the legislature, the most of the usual pomp and the atmosphere of social exclusiveness which in the past has been characteristic of the ceremony attendant upon the opening of the legislature will be discarded. Instead, a simpler ceremony, which in the judgment of the government will be more in keeping with the democratic ideals of the people of this province, which carried them to power, will mark the first session of each legislature.

When the house first meets in February, the booming of cannon, the attendance of the military and officials in general in court uniforms of other days, the presence of a throng of officers in full military dress, the display of women in evening dress, will be lacking. The occasion will be simple and unostentatious.

In comparison with the glory, gorgeousness and formality of former years, it will be markedly sober.

## A Nerve Pair

Inland Revenue Officials Found Still in Premises Owned by W.C.T.U.

Toronto.—Inland revenue officials found a modern still, fully equipped and ready for business when they invaded premises near Willard Hall owned by the Women's Christian Temperance Union. William Long, the tenant, stated that the room in which the still was found was occupied by two Italians, whose names he did not know.

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